

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Reconsideration of the present application as amended is respectfully requested.

Claims 1-20 remain in this application. Claims 1-20 have been allowed.

In the outstanding Office Action, the Examiner found that the application was in condition for allowance, except for one objection to the specification as lacking appropriate subtitles. Prosecution has been closed on the merits in accordance with *Ex parte Quayle*, 1935 C.D. 11, 453 O.G. 213.

Applicants gratefully acknowledge the Examiner's indication that this application contains allowable subject matter.

With regard to the objection to the specification as lacking appropriate subtitles, Applicants respectfully decline to provide such section headings, as they are not required. Please see MPEP §608.01(a).

In view of the above, it is respectfully submitted that the present application is in condition for allowance, and a Notice of Allowance is earnestly solicited.

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Reply to Office action of Oct. 2, 2006

If any informalities remain, the Examiner is requested to telephone the undersigned in order to expedite allowance.

Please charge any fee deficiencies and credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 14-1270.

Respectfully submitted,

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